

REMARKS

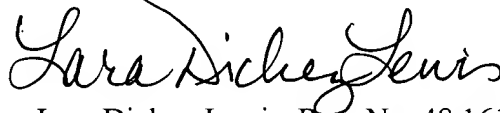
Responsive to the Office Action dated August 4, 2003, Applicant appreciates the Examiner's allowance of Claims 1 and 3-10. Claim 11 was objected under 37 C.F.R. 1.75 as being a substantial duplicate of claim 1. Applicant has cancelled Claim 11 thereby rendering this objection moot.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that the present application is now in condition for allowance and courteously solicits the same. If the Examiner should have any questions regarding the foregoing, he is encouraged to call the undersigned at 816.460.2516. Should any fees be necessitated by this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Deposit Account No. 19-3140.

Respectfully submitted,

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